GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Public Services–RWS&S – Allegations of Irregularities in supply of drinking water at RWS&S Sub-Division, Razole, East Godavari District in Summer 2007-08 – Disciplinary action initiated against Sri V.Umasutha, the then Executive Engineer, RWS Sub-Divn., Razole, East Godavari District and (7) others -Case Entrusted to COI- Enquiry Report submitted – Charges not proved – Further action dropped – Orders - Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT (Vig.VI) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 551 **Dated: 11-08-2017**

Read the following:

1. From the ENC,PR, Lr.No.Vig.IV(2)/17755/07, dt:11.12.2007.
2. Govt. Memo No.30203/Vig.II/A2/2007-2to9 dt: 01.02.2008.
3. WSD of V. Umasutha, E.E., dt:18/4/2008.
4. WSD of Sri S.V. Ramana Rao, Dy.E.E., dt:18/4/2008
5. WSD of Sri D. Satyanarayana, A.E.E., dt:12.03.2008
6. WSD of Sri K.V.V.S.N.Murthy,Asst. Engineer, dt: 14.03.2008.
7. WSD of Sri Y.N.R.Nageswara Rao, Asst.Engineer, dt:14.03.2008.
8. WSD of Sri A.V.Laxman, A.E.E, dt: 14.03.2008.
9. WSD of Sri M.V. Krishna Rao, A.E.E, dt: 15.03.2008
10. WSD of Sri B. Srinivasa Rao, Asst. Engineer, dt:14.03.2008
11. Govt. Memo No.30203/Vig.II/A2/2007-11,dt:24.07.2009.
12. From the ENC, RWS&S, Lr. No. (Vig.(2)/17755/07, dt: 09.09.2009.
13. From the ENC, RWS&S, Lr. No. Vig.1(2)/17755/07, dt:19.02.2010.
14. G.O.Rt.No.818,PR&RD(Vig.I) Department,dt.31.05.2011.
15. From Sri K.Pradeep Chandra, I.A.S, Commissioners of Inquires, D.O. Letter No.150/COI-KPC/A1/2011, dt.03.08.2011.
16. From the Chief Engineer, V&QC, RWS&S, Hyderabad, Memo No. AEE2/ 290/Razole/ EG/V&QC/RWS&S/12-13,dt.18.12.2012.
17. From the District Collector, East Godavari District, Lr.No.C1/ SA/ 3013 & 3058/2007,dt.24.12.2016.

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ORDER:

Charges were framed against S/Sri (1) V.Umasutha, the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S and now retired 2) S.V. Ramana Rao, Deputy Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Razole 3) D. Satyanarayana, Asst. Executive Engineer, RWS&S 4) K.V.V.S.N.Murthy, Asst.Engineer, RWS&S 5) Y.N.R.NageswaraRao, Asst.Engineer, RWS&S 6) A.V.Laxman, Asst. Executive Engineer, RWS&S 7) M.V. Krishna Rao, Asst.Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Razole 8) B. Srinivasa Rao, Asst.Engineer, RWS Sub Division, Razole, East Godavari District for the allegation of irregularities committed in the transportation of water during the year 2007-2008, in RWS&S Sub Division, Razole, E.G. District vide reference 2nd read above.

2. In response to the above said charges, the Charged Officers submitted their Written Statements of Defence, in the letters 3rd to 10th read above, respectively.

3. After examining the written statements of defence submitted by the Charged Officers and Specific Remarks submitted by the Engineer-in-Chief, Panchayat Raj, the case was entrusted to Commissioner of Inquires and accordingly Sri K.Pradeep Chandra,I.A.S, Commissioner of Inquires was appointed as Inquiry Authority under Rule 20(2) of APCS (CCA) Rules, 1991 to conduct inquiry on the charges framed against Sri V.Umasutha, the then Executive Engineer, RWS Sub-Division, Razole, East Godavari District and (7) others in the G.O.14th read above.

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4. In the letter 15th read above, the Enquiry Officer has submitted his report stating that the charges framed against Sri V.Umasutha, the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S Sub-Division Razole, East Godavari District and (7) others are not sustained.

5. Government after examination of the Enquiry report has requested the Chief Engineer, V&QC, RWS&S to get detailed enquiry to arrive at the loss sustained and to state whether additional charges to be framed against the Charged Officers. Accordingly the Chief Engineer, V&QC,RWS&S in the letter 16th read above has submitted his report stating that there is loss sustained and there may not be any requirement of framing additional charges.

6. Government after careful examination of the matter, have accepted the findings of Enquiry Officer and also on the opinion of District Collector, East Godavari District furnished in the letter 17th read above, decided to drop further action against all the (8) charged officers in this matter as the charges are not proved. Accordingly, further action is hereby dropped against (1) Sri V.Umasutha, the then Executive Engineer, RWS&S and now retired 2) Sri S.V. Ramana Rao, Deputy Executive Enigneer, RWS&S, Razole 3) Sri D. Satyanarayana, Asst. Executive Engineer, RWS&S 4)K.V.V.S.N. Murthy, Asst. Engineer, RWS&S 5) Sri Y.N.R. Nageswara Rao, Asst. Engineer, RWS&S 6) Sri A.V. Laxman, Asst. Executive Engineer, RWS&S 7) Sri M.V. Krishna Rao, Asst. Executive Engineer, RWS&S, Razole 8) Sri B. Srinivasa Rao, Asst. Engineer, RWS Sub Division, Razole, East Godavari District in this matter.

7. The Engineer–in-Chief, RWS&S, Vijayawada shall take necessary action in this matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

DR.K.S.JAWAHAR REDDY
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Charged Officers, through Engineer-in –Chief, RWS&S,
Vashuda Shelters, Saipuram colony road, one centre, Gollapudi,
Vijayawada.

The Engineer-in-Chief, Rural Water Supply & Sanitation, Vashuda
Shelters, Saipuram colony road, one centre, Gollapudi,
Vijayawada.

Copy to :
Sri K.Pradeep Chandra, I.A.S, Commissioners of Inquires,
with reference to the G.O.Rt.No.818, PR&RD (Vig.II) Dept.,
dt.31.05.2011.
The Secretary, A.P.Vigilance Commission, A.P.Secretariat,Velagapudi.
S.f./S.c.

//FORWARDED::BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER